



General Assembly

## ***Amendment***

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. **467**

File No. 693

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### ***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE FACILITATION OF TELEHEALTH."***

1 After line 5, insert the following and renumber the remaining  
2 subdivisions accordingly:

3 "(2) "Health record" means the record of individual, health-related  
4 information that is created, held, managed or consulted by a health  
5 care provider and may include, but need not be limited to, continuity  
6 of care documents, discharge summaries and other information or data  
7 relating to a patient's demographics, medical history, medication,  
8 allergies, immunizations, laboratory test results, radiology or other  
9 diagnostic images, vital signs and statistics."

10 In line 11, strike "physician" and insert "provider" in lieu thereof

11 In line 17, strike "may use" and insert "uses" in lieu thereof

- 12 In line 36, strike the comma and insert "or" in lieu thereof
- 13 In line 37, strike "and" and insert "or" in lieu thereof
- 14 In line 38, after "telephone" insert ", texting"
- 15 In line 40, strike "psychiatrist" and insert "physical therapist" in lieu  
16 thereof
- 17 In line 41, strike "370" and insert "376" in lieu thereof and, after the  
18 comma, insert the following: "chiropractor licensed under chapter 372  
19 of the general statutes, naturopath licensed under chapter 373 of the  
20 general statutes, podiatrist licensed under chapter 375 of the general  
21 statutes, occupational therapist licensed under chapter 376a of the  
22 general statutes, optometrist licensed under chapter 380 of the general  
23 statutes,"
- 24 In line 58, strike "or" and insert "and, on and after July 1, 2017," in  
25 lieu thereof and strike the second "medical" and insert "health" in lieu  
26 thereof
- 27 In line 60, strike "physician" and insert "provider, if any" in lieu  
28 thereof
- 29 In line 74, strike "medical" and insert "health" in lieu thereof
- 30 In line 78, strike ", upon the patient's request,"
- 31 In line 79, strike "such provider" and insert "himself or herself" in  
32 lieu thereof
- 33 In line 80, strike "such" and insert "a" and after the second "patient"  
34 insert "and the patient's primary care provider, as identified by the  
35 patient or in the patient's health record, if any"
- 36 In line 83, after "(e)" insert "(1)", strike "medical" and insert "health"  
37 in lieu thereof

38       After line 86, insert the following:

39       "(2) Each telehealth provider shall obtain the patient's written  
40       consent to share information concerning the telehealth interaction, or  
41       the patient's health record, which may include such information, with  
42       any other healthcare provider and shall maintain such written consent  
43       as part of the patient's health record."

44       Strike lines 124, 125, 151 and 152 in their entirety